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O Moſt Glorious and Gracious God; whoſe Judgements againſt obſtinate Offenders are moſt ſevere and terrible, but whoſe Mercies are infinite to all them that with hearty Repentance and true Faith turn unto thee; We, the ſinful People of this Land, do adore thy moſt righteous Judgement in all that is come upon us, and do humble ourſelves under thy mighty Hand; acknowledging before thee with Shame and Confuſion of Face, that we are no more worthy to be called thy Sons or thy Servants, whom neither thy Judgements have driven, nor thy Goodneſs led to Repentance. In mercy, O God, awaken us all to a true and deep Senſe of our manifold and often repeated Provocations,

tions. Pardon the great Offences of us thy Servants, and the crying Sins of the whole Nation; remove the Evils we still lie under, and turn from us those we have just Cause to fear. It is of thy Goodness, O Lord, that we were not all consumed by the late dreadful Earthquakes, the Beginning of Sorrows, and Forerunners of our final Destruction, and that in the midst of Judgement thou didst remember Mercy. Let the strong Sense of our late marvellous Preservation work in us such a Thankfulness of Heart, and such a Seriousness and Watchfulness of Spirit, that no Calamity may ever be a Surprize to us, nor Death itself come upon us unawares; that so we may at length arrive safely at that blessed Kingdom which cannot be shaken: For the Sake of Jesus Christ our only Mediator and Advocate. Amen.

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